

REMARKS

Applicant notes the teleconference with the Examiner on April 30, 2008. The claims have been amended to correct typographical errors and to expedite allowance of the pending claims. Applicant was unable to identify any remaining antecedent basis problems. Claims 8 and 53 have been cancelled.

It is important to note that a computer-readable storage medium claim is not a step plus function claim. More specifically, the computer-readable medium claims merely recite computer-readable instructions for performing steps of a corresponding method claim. Claims 1, 3-7, 9-29, 31-40, and 42-58 are now pending.

Reconsideration of the application is respectfully requested based on the following remarks.

SUMMARY

If there are any issues remaining which the Examiner believes could be resolved through either a Supplemental Response or an Examiner's Amendment, the Examiner is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned attorney at the telephone number listed below.

Applicants hereby petition for an extension of time which may be required to maintain the pendency of this case, and any required fee for such extension or any further fee required in connection with the filing of this Amendment is to be charged to Deposit Account No. 504480 (Order No. ANDIP007).

Respectfully submitted,
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